



Lyeth

## 2008 L DE LYETH SAUVIGNON BLANC



### A long tradition...

In 1981, Lyeth Estate was founded in Sonoma County by Chip Lyeth. After having traveled through Bordeaux in the late 1970s, Chip came to believe what the Bordelais had known for centuries: that through blending, you could create a beautiful, distinctive wine, with unique characteristics often very different from the varietals from which it is created. To craft these wines, he brought on his close friend, Bill Arbios.

**Vintage:** 2008

**Appellation:** Sonoma County

**Alcohol By Volume:** 14.5 v/v

**PH:** 3.17

**Titrateable Acidity:** 6.81 g/L

**% Aged in Oak:** 25%

**Origin of Oak:** French

**Months in Barrel:** 7

**Production:** 611 cases

**Suggested Retail Price:** \$10.99

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### The wine...

Over 25 years later, we are still dedicated to Chip's vision of making unique blends. In this spirit, Winemaker Bill Arbios has created this exciting blend of Sauvignon Blanc from carefully selected vineyards from the most esteemed corners of Sonoma County.

The Russian River Valley, one of California's most prestigious and historic wine-producing regions, provides the superior fruit used in this wine. Sauvignon Blanc grapes grown in Sonoma County contribute lush fruit flavors that jump out of the glass and proudly proclaim this wine's varietal. A generous, fruit-forward palate of ripe pineapple and citrus is balanced by a crisp acidity. Bright, green apple and a hint of straw lead to a crisp, yet smooth finish resulting in a wine that is excellent with a variety of foods including grilled fish and summer salads.